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For: PEG-PHYSIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE POLYPEPTIDE HOMODIMER COMPLEX  
HAVING PROLONGED IN VIVO HALF-LIFE AND PROCESS FOR THE  
PREPARATION THEREOF

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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